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METHODS AND APPARATUS

FOR DETECTING AND

QUANTIFYING LYMPHOCYTES

WITH OPTICAL BIODISCS

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 15, 2005 in the above-identified patent application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.